

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Docket No.  
WN-1979

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PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
Satoshi HOSHINO

Application No.  
09/252,034

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February 18,  
1999

For  
DEVICE FOR DETECTING A FINGERPRINT,  
ELECTRIC APPARATUS AND DOORKEEPER  
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S. Ahmed

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated March 4, 2002 rejecting the following claims: 8-25.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is: \$ 320

If I have checked one of the boxes below, then this is also a petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to reply to the rejection:

Extension of time requested for: Non-small entity fee for extension of time:

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- ☐ Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: \$

A verified statement of small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27:

☐ is enclosed.

☐ has already been filed in this application.

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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